

Serial No.: 10/082,789 Attorney Docket No.: 11101-007

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit:	1645 ) )	RECEIVED
Examiner:	Unknown )	JUN 1 9 2002
Inventor:	David O'Hagan	INFORMATI <b>TECH CENTER</b> 1600/2900
Serial No:	10/082,789	DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
Filed:	February 25, 2002	STATEMENT
For:	VARIABLE MICROARRAY AND ) METHOD OF DETECTING ONE ) OR MORE ANALYTES IN A ) SAMPLE )	

Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, DC+20231.

on June 13, 2002 by Commissioner of Commissioner of Patents on June 13, 2002 by Commissioner of Patents

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Under the duties of disclosure, candor, and good faith of 37 CFR §1.56, the Applicant hereby submits the references listed on the attached PTO-1449 form for consideration by the Examiner. In the opinion of the Applicant, the pending claims are patentably distinct from the listed references.

In the event that a first Office Action has been mailed in the above identified application prior to the Certificate of Mailing date set forth above, please charge our



Serial No.: 10/082,789

Attorney Docket No.: 11101-007

Deposit Account No.: 23-1925 the appropriate fee as specified in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) as

required under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

RECEIVED

Respectfully submitted,

JUN 1 9 2002

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Date: 13 June 2002

By: J. Matthew Buchanan

Reg. No. 47,459

Attorney for Applicant

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE P.O. Box 10395 Chicago, IL 60610 (734) 302-6000

10		
FORM PTO-1449	SERIAL NO.	CASE NO.
The state of the s	10/082,789	11101-007
LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR	FILING DATE	GROUP ART UNIT
APPLICANT'S INFORMATION DISCLOSURE	February 25, 2002	1645
STATEMENT		
(use several sheets if necessary)	APPLICANT(S): DAVID O'HAG	AN

REFERENCE DESIGNATION U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

REFERENCE DESIGNATION		U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
EXAMINER		DOCUMENT	5.75	21020	CLASS/	FILING	
INITIAL		NUMBER	DATE	NAME	SUBCLASS	DATE	
	A1	4,837,168	6/6/1989	De Jaeger, et al.			
	A2	5,516,635	5/14/1996	Ekins, et al.			
	A3	5,518,883	5/21/1996	Soini		RECEIVE	ED
	A4	5,580,735	12/3/1996	Malick, et al.			
	A5	5,585,469	12/17/1996	Kojima, et al.		11.13.	
	A6	5,620,903	4/15/1997	Malick, et al.		JUN 1 9 200	]2
	A7	5,759,866	6/2/1998	Machida, et al.			_
	A8	5,900,481	5/4/1999	Lough, et al.	Ti	CH CENTER 160	0/00
	A9	5,922,537	7/13/1999	Ewart, et al.		ALL OF MITH 10h	<b>U/29</b> (
	A10	5,976,426	11/2/1999	Richard, et al.			
	A11	5,989,921	11/23/1999	Charlton, et al.			
	A12	6,023,540	2/8/2000	Walt, et al.			
	A13	6,101,946	8/15/2000	Martinsky			
	A14	6,133,436	10/17/2000	Koster, et al.			
	A15	6,156,501	12/5/2000	McGall, et al.			
	A16	6,261,776	7/17/2001	Pirrung, et al.			
	A17	6,268,053	7/31/2001	Woiszwillo, et al.			
	A18	6,327,410	12/4/2001	Walt, et al.			
	A19	6,329,143	12/11/2001	Stryer, et al.			
	A20	US2001/0029049	10/11/2001	Walt, et al.			
	A21	US2002/0001801	1/3/2002	Fan, et al.			
	A22	US2002/0039728	4/4/2002	Kain, et al			

## **FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	TRANSI YES	LATION NO
	A23	-					
	A24						
	A25					•	
	A26						
	A27						

EXAMINER INITIAL		OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)
	A28	
	A29	
	A30	
	A31	
	A32	
	A33	

EXAMINER DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

RECEIVED
JUN 1 9 2002

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Serial No.: 10/082,789 Attorney Docket No.: 11101-007

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit:

1645 -

Examiner:

Unknown

Inventor:

David O'Hagan

Serial No:

10/082,789

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE

**STATEMENT** 

Filed:

February 25, 2002

For:

VARIABLE MICROARRAY AND )
METHOD OF DETECTING ONE )

OR MORE ANALYTES IN A

SAMPLE

Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, DC:2023/1.

on June 13, 2002 by

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Under the duties of disclosure, candor, and good faith of 37 CFR §1.56, the Applicant hereby submits the references listed on the attached PTO-1449 form for consideration by the Examiner. In the opinion of the Applicant, the pending claims are patentably distinct from the listed references.

In the event that a first Office Action has been mailed in the above identified application prior to the Certificate of Mailing date set forth above, please charge our



## RECEIVED

JUN 1 9 2002

## TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Serial No.: 10/082,789

Attorney Docket No.: 11101-007

Deposit Account No.: 23-1925 the appropriate fee as specified in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 13 June 2002

By: J. Matthew Buchanar

Reg. No. 47,459

Attorney for Applicant

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE P.O. Box 10395 Chicago, IL 60610 (734) 302-6000